

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-10. (canceled).

Claim 11. (currently amended): A portable telephone, being one of a mobile telephone and a cordless telephone, comprising:

a first part of a housing of the portable telephone;

a display and input device arranged on a surface of the first part of the housing, the display and input device configured as a touch screen, wherein the touch screen occupies substantially an entire surface of the first part of the housing; and

a second part of the housing which substantially covers the touch screen in a first operating position of the portable telephone and which substantially exposes the touch screen in a second operating position of the portable telephone, the second part of the housing accommodating comprising a telephone receiver and additional input parts, wherein the receiver is particularly positioned in the second part of the housing so as to be substantially over an entire surface the touch screen in the first operating position, and wherein said second part includes additional input parts, and

wherein the touch screen occupies substantially an entire surface of the first part of the housing

Claim 12. (canceled):

Claim 13. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein the additional input parts are formed as a mechanical keypad, such that a pressure pin via which point pressure is exerted on a predetermined region of the touch screen is respectfully assigned to each key of the keypad on a reverse side facing the touch screen.

Claim 14. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein the additional input parts are formed by recesses in the second part of the housing in conjunction with input fields which are represented on the touch screen and which together form an input mask for the touch screen in a predetermined telephone input mode.

Claim 15. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein the additional input parts are formed as an input keypad which is independent of the touch screen.

Claim 16. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein the second part of the housing is displaceable with respect to the first part of the housing, such that the second part of the housing substantially exposes the touch screen in a first displaced position and substantially covers the touch screen in a second displaced position.

Claim 17. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein the second part of the housing is pivotable with respect to the first part of the housing, such that the second part of the housing substantially exposes the touch screen in a first pivoted position and substantially covers the touch screen in a second pivoted position.

Claim 18. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein the second part of the housing includes a transparent window region which covers a section of the touch screen in the first operating position.

Claim 19. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, further comprising a change-over switch which is actuated upon displacement of the second part of the housing with respect to the first part of the housing, wherein the actuation of the change-over switch effects a change-over between a touch screen input mode and an additional input parts input mode as well as a change-over of display functions.

Claim 20. (previously presented): A portable telephone as claimed in Claim 11, wherein a recess is formed in a side face of one of the first and second parts of the housing, the recess being for holding an input pin.